GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
EXTERNAL AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2457
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CONSTRUCTION OF A SHOPPING COMPLEX BY MYANMAR
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Will the Minister of EXTERNAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Manipur has sent a report to the Union Government regarding construction of a shopping complex by Myanmarese authorities at Tamu on a stretch of land which is `No-Man Land`;

(b) if so, the response of the Union government thereto; and

(c) the action taken by the Government in this matter?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS (SHRI DIGVIJAY SINGH)

(a-c) The issue of a shopping complex reported to be constructed at Tamu possibly too close to the international boundary was taken up with Myanmar at the recently held 8th National Level Meeting between India and Myanmar on July 10, 2002.

The Myanmar side noted the query and the GOI suggestion that the site in question would be inspected jointly for an early and amicable solution